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Dublin, June 19.

THIS Afternoon at Four of the Clock arrived an Expreſs to the Lords Juſtices, with an Account of the Death of our late Sovereign Lord King George, of Bleſſed Memory, and Directions for proclaiming His Royal Majeſty King George the Second; upon which their Excellencies and the Privy Council met immediately at the Caſtle, and ſigned a Proclamation purſuant to the Tenor of that which had been iſſued in Great Britain, and about Nine the ſame Evening the Lords Juſtices, and all the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Town, with the Lord Mayor and Aldermen, King at Arms and other Officers attending the State, firſt proclaimed His Majeſty at the Caſtle Gate, and afterwards went through the City and proclaimed His Majeſty at the uſual Places with great Solemnity. The great Guns at the Barracks were fired three Rounds and anſwered by Vollies from the Regiments quartered there, and the Night ended with Bonfires, Ringing of Bells, and other publick Demonſtrations of Joy.

Tho. Wyndham *C.* Wm. Conolly.

Whereas it hath pleaſed Almighty God to call to His Mercy our late Sovereign Lord King George, of Bleſſed Memory, by whoſe Deceaſe the Imperial Crowns of Great Britain, France and Ireland, are ſolely and rightfully come to the High and Mighty Prince, George Prince of Wales: We the Lords Juſtices of this Kingdom, and ſeveral of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal of this Realm, being aſſiſted with thoſe of His late Majeſty's Privy-Council, and Numbers of other principal Gentlemen of Quality, with the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Dublin, do with one full Voice and Conſent of Tongue and Heart, Publiſh and Proclaim, That the High and Mighty Prince, George Prince of Wales, is now, by the Death of our late Sovereign of happy Memory, become our only lawful and rightful Liege Lord George the Second, by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c. to whom we do acknowledge all Faith and conſtant Obedience, with all hearty and humble Affection; beſeeching God, by whom Kings and Queens do reign, to bleſs the Royal King George the Second, with long and happy Years to reign over us. Given at His Majeſty's Caſtle of Dublin, the Nineteenth Day of June, 1727.

Wm Dublin	Mountrath
Kildare	Angleſey
Meath	Abercorn
Hillsborough	Charles Monck
Allen	Hen. Hamilton
Newtown	Jno. Murray
St. John Brodrick	Thos. Power
Ralph Gore	John Cramer
Wm. Whitſhed	H. Courtenay, Jun.
Tho. Dalton	Lu. Gardiner
Thos. Taylor	Hen. Singleton
Ben. Parry	Sam. Morris
R. Tighe	Cha. Douglaſs
Marm. Coghill	John Fowke
Drogheda	Tho. Burgh
Fitz Maurice	Edw. Synge
Ar. Clonfert and Kilm'. Duagh,	Ea. Stannard
	Mau. Cuffe
Joſi. Ferns and Leighlin	David Creichton
Wm. Empſon	Alexr. Montgomery
Phil. Pearſon	Tho. Upton
Tho. How	Jas. Riley
J Stoyte	Joſhua Paul
Tho. Bolton	Hen Purdon
Tho. Curtis	Edw. Knatchbull
John Porter	Dav. Chaigneau
Hen. Burrowes	Ambr. Philips
Pieter Verdoen	Rd. Betteſworth
Nath. Pearſon	John Gore
Tho. Smyth	Robt. Marſhall
Hum. French	Richard Millar
Geo. Gore	A. Hamilton
Ed. Dering	Capell Moore
Henry Dering	John Bowes
J. St. Leger	W. Pereival
Robt. Moore	Ric Daniel
Jno. Fitzgerald	Tho. Carter
Will Rowan	Hen. Roſe
Ja. Ware	Tho. Pearſon
W. Caulfield	Wm. Hawkins, *Viſter*
John Parnell	Robt. Allen
Robt. Naper	Robt. Butler
J. Pocklington	Jno. Hawkins
Thomas Medlycott	John Enos
Tho. Marlay	Char. Denis
Rob. Jocelyn	Francis Gregory
Matt. Penefather	Robt. Dixon
Tho. Tickell	Wm. Lingen
Cæz. Colclough	John Caldbeck
Geo. Johnſton	Jas Belcher
Tho Stanton	Tho. Morſe.
Guſt. Hamilton	

By the Lords Juſtices and Council of Ireland,

A PROCLAMATION,

Tho. Wyndam, C. Wm. Conolly.

WHereas it hath pleaſed Almighty God to call to His Mercy our late Sovereign Lord King George, of bleſſed Memory, by whoſe Deceaſe the Imperial Crowns of Great Britain, France and Ireland, are ſolely and rightfully come to the High and Mighty Prince George Prince of Wales.

We the Lords Juſtices and Council, do by this our Proclamation think fit to give publick Notice thereof to all His Majeſty's Subjects, and do require all Mayors, Sheriffs, and [illegible] His Majeſty's Officers, to publiſh and pro-claim, That the High and Mighty Prince [illegible]

George, Prince of Wales, is now by the Death of our late Sovereign, of happy Memory, become our only lawful and rightful Liege Lord George the Second, by the Grace of God, King of Great Britain, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c. in all the Cities and Towns corporate, and Market Towns in this Kingdom; and all Officers both Civil and Military, and other His Majesty's Subjects, are hereby required to be assisting in the Performance thereof with all due Solemnity.

Given at the Council Chamber in Dublin, the 19th Day of June, 1727.

Will. Dublin, Kildare, Meath, Anglesey, Abercorn, Hillsborough, Newtown, St. John Brodrick, Ralph Gore, Wm. Whitshed, Tho. Dalton, Tho. Taylor, Ben. Parry, R. Tighe, Marm. Coghill.

God save the King.

By the Lords Justices General and General Governours of Ireland.

A PROCLAMATION.

Tho. Wyndham, C. *Wm. Conolly*.

WHereas His Royal Majesty King George the Second hath signified His Pleasure, That the several Officers now absent out of Ireland do return forthwith to their Posts: We do therefore hereby direct and require all Officers of the Army, notwithstanding any License or other Allowance granted them to be absent, to repair immediately to their respective Posts, and there attend their Duty, and not to absent themselves from their Commands on any Pretence whatsoever, as they tender the Good of His Majesty's Service, and upon Pain of our utmost Displeasure.

Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin, the 20th Day of June, 1727.

By their Excellencies Command,

Tho. Tickell.

God save the King.

Kensington, June 22.

This Day the Right Honourable Gerald de Courcy, Lord Kinsale in the Kingdom of Ireland, was presented by his Excellency the Lord Carteret Lord Lieutenant of that Kingdom, to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive him very graciously, and his Lordship had the Honour to kiss His Majesty's Hand, and to assert the ancient Right of his Family of being covered in the King's Presence, which His Majesty was pleased to allow of as a Right belonging to the Family.

Kensington, June 22.

The following humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common Council and chief Inhabitants of the City of Exeter, has been presented to His Majesty by Samuel Molyneux, Esq; introduced by the Right Honourable Philip Earl of Chesterfield. Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, and chief Inhabitants of your City of Exon, whom in the Reign of our late Sovereign your Father, of blessed Memory, You the sole and undoubted Heir to the Imperial Crowns of these Realms, was most graciously pleased to take under your immediate Protection, are under a double Obligation above all other your Majesty's Subjects, to be deeply affected with whatever can give your Royal Heart Concern and Surprize; especially upon this great and melancholly Occasion, the sudden and unexpected Death of the King your Father.

Had the Divine Providence, when it took from us a wise King, left us to struggle under the Difficulties of a Minority, the Loss had been insupportable to this Nation; but now, when instead of a Prince advanced as in Glory so in Years, and almost ripe for Death, it has given us another in the Strength of his Age and Wisdom, one of whose Love and Affection to Britain we have had such Knowledge and Experience, we patiently and even with a Christian Chearfulness submit to the Divine Will; promising ourselves, under your auspicious Reign, the Nation will receive no Diminution, but an Increase of Power at Home, and of Influence and Consequence Abroad.

Your People could have been satisfied, even without the Assurance of your Royal Word, of the Security of their Religion, Laws, and Liberties, together with the Preservation of the Constitution as it is now established both in Church and State, under a Prince that has always held constant Communion with our Holy Church, and that has made it his Business to understand our Constitution, by being constantly present at all the Grand Debates in Parliament; Assurances, that no Promises from one bred and bigotted in a Religion opposite to ours, and a perfect Stranger to our Constitution, can give them.

May your Majesty, whom we of this City have the Happiness to see from our especial Patron now our King, as always Good and Gracious, so now Mighty and Powerful; and to whom, as our Sovereign Liege Lord, we promise all Faith and constant Obedience, with all hearty and humble Affection; accomplish and perfect the great Work so well begun by the late King your Royal Father, the restoring the Tranquility and preserving the Balance of Europe, which God has reserved for the Happiness of your Reign: And may that Reign be long and prosperous over us, full of Glory and Honour to yourself, and for the Interest and Security of your People.

St. James's, June 24.

This Evening their Majesties came to this Palace from Kensington.

St. James's, June 26.

This Day the Right Reverend Father in God the Lord Bishop of London, the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, and the Clergy of the Cities of London and Westminster, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Grafton Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Houshold, waited in a Body on His Majesty with the following humble and unanimous Address.

To

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Biſhop of London, the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, and the Clergy of the Cities of London and Weſtminſter.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Biſhop of London, the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, and the Clergy of the Cities of London and Weſtminſter, beg Leave to condole with your Majeſty upon the Death of your Royal Father, our late Gracious Sovereign, whoſe paternal Care over his People, together with his unwearied and ſucceſsful Endeavours to ſecure to us our Religion and Liberties againſt the many Attempts to deprive us of them, muſt make his Memory dear to us and our Poſterity.

We humbly preſent to your Majeſty, as the firſt Tribute of Duty, our ſincereſt Congratulations upon your peaceful and happy Succeſſion to the Throne of your Anceſtors; moſt thankfully acknowledging this ſignal Inſtance of the Divine Favour to us, in filling it with a Prince, whoſe innate Goodneſs, Clemency and other Royal Virtues, will always make him affectionately deſirous of the Happineſs of his People, and whoſe Experience, Conduct, Vigilance and Reſolution, will, we doubt not, accompliſh his Deſires, under the Divine Direction and Aſſiſtance; for which we ſhall not fail to offer up our conſtant Prayers to Almighty God.

The early Declaration which your Majeſty has been pleaſed to make, that the Preſervation of the Conſtitution in Church and State, as it is now happily eſtabliſhed, ſhall be your firſt, and always your chief Care, demands the Acknowledgments of your Biſhops and Clergy in a particular Manner; and we ſincerely promiſe your Majeſty, that we will always labour to promote the ſame great Ends, and endeavour in our ſeveral Stations to render your Adminiſtration Eaſy, and your Reign Proſperous.

May God direct all your Counſels to His Glory, and the Welfare of theſe Nations, which His wiſe and good Providence hath committed to your Care: May the Divine Bleſſings daily deſcend upon your Majeſty, your Royal Conſort our Gracious Queen, and your Royal Iſſue: May Righteouſneſs, Truth, and Peace be the Stability of your Time; and may we long continue a happy and flouriſhing People under your Majeſty's wiſe and auſpicious Government.

To which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to give the following moſt gracious Anſwer.

THIS early Teſtimony of your Duty and Loyalty, and the juſt Senſe you have of my affectionate Concern for the Eſtabliſhed Church, and for the Happineſs of my People, are very pleaſing and acceptable to me. And you may be firmly aſſured, that the Protection of the Church and Clergy, in the Enjoyment of their Rights and Privileges, ſhall be my particular Care through the whole Courſe of my Reign.

His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive them very graciouſly, and they had all the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand.

They were afterwards introduced to the Queen by the Right Honourable the Earl of Grantham Lord Chamberlain of Her Majeſty's Houſhold; and the Biſhop of London ſpoke to Her Majeſty as follows;

THE Clergy of London and Weſtminſter have attended the King, with their hearty Congratulations upon his peaceable and happy Acceſſion to the Throne; and they now deſire to tender the like ſincere Congratulations to your Majeſty. At the ſame Time they beg Leave to recommend themſelves to your Majeſty's Protection; being firmly perſwaded, both from your immoveable Adherence to the Proteſtant Religion Abroad againſt the Temptations of a Crown, and from your conſtant Regard to the Conſtitution of our own Church, that both the Church and her Clergy will upon all Occaſions find in your Majeſty a ſure Friend and a powerful Advocate. We, on our Part, ſhall always pray, that the King and your Majeſty may, together, enjoy a long, a happy, and a glorious Reign; and that your Majeſties and your Royal Iſſue may ever remain under the peculiar Care and Providence of God, and be enriched by Him with all Manner of Bleſſings both Spiritual and Temporal.

Her Majeſty was pleaſed to receive them very graciouſly, and they had all the Honour to kiſs Her Majeſty's Hand.

Weſtminſter, June 25.

HIS Majeſty came this Day to the Houſe of Peers, and being in his Royal Robes ſeated on the Throne, with the uſual Solemnity, Sir Charles Dalton, Gentleman-Uſher of the Black-Rod, was ſent with a Meſſage from His Majeſty to the Houſe of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the Houſe of Peers; the Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majeſty was pleaſed to make the following moſt gracious Speech to both Houſes.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I Am perſwaded that you all Share with me in my Grief and Affliction for the Death of my late Royal Father; which, as it brings upon Me the immediate Care and Weight of the Government, adds very much to my Concern; leſt I ſhould not be as ſucceſsful in my Endeavours, as I am, above all Things, deſirous to make you a Great and Happy People.

I heartily wiſh, that this firſt ſolemn Declaration of my Mind in Parliament could ſufficiently expreſs the Sentiments of my Heart, and give you a perfect and juſt Senſe of my fixed Reſolution, by all poſſible Means, to merit the Love and Affection of my People, which I ſhall always look upon as the beſt Support and Security of my Crown.

And as the Religion, Liberty, Property, and a due Execution of the Laws are the moſt valuable Bleſſings of a free People, and the peculiar Privileges of this Nation, it ſhall be my conſtant Care to preſerve the Conſtitution of this Kingdom, as it is now happily eſtabliſhed, in Church and State, inviolable in all its Parts; and to ſecure, to all my Subjects, the full Enjoyment of their Religious and Civil Rights.

I ſee, with great Pleaſure, the happy Effects of that Vigour and Reſolution, which was exerted, in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, for the Defence of the Rights and Poſſeſſions of this Nation, and for maintaining the Tranquility and Balance of Power in Europe; The ſtrict Union and Harmony which has hitherto ſubſiſted among the Allies of the Treaty of Hanover, has chiefly contributed to the near Proſpect of a general Peace; I have therefore given all my Allies the ſtrongeſt Aſſurances of purſuing the ſame Meaſures, and of making good the Engagements entred into by the Crown of Great Britain.

The